

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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M SCIENCE LLC and M SCIENCE HONG  
KONG LIMITED,

Plaintiff (s),

- v -

STEPHEN A. LUBAN and YIPIT, LLC  
d/b/a YIPITDATA,

Defendant(s)

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Case No. 25-cv-00621

**MOTION FOR GERALD E.  
BURNS ADMISSION  
PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to Rule 1.3 of the Local Rules of the United States Courts for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, Stephen W. Kelkenberg hereby moves this Court for an Order for **Gerald E. Burns** to be admitted to practice *pro hac vice* to appear as counsel for Plaintiffs in the above-captioned action.

Gerald E. Burns is an attorney in good standing of the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and there are no pending disciplinary proceedings against him in any state or federal court. He has never been convicted of a felony. He has never been censured, suspended, disbarred, or denied admission or readmission by any court. I have attached his affidavit as Exhibit A.

Respectfully submitted,

**BUCHANAN INGERSOLL & ROONEY PC**



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Dated: February 18, 2025

*Counsel for M Science, LLC and  
M Science Hong Kong Limited*

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**AFFIDAVIT OF GERALD E. BURNS  
FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION**

I, GERALD E. BURNS, declare under the penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C.  
§1746 that the below statements are true and correct:

1. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any state or federal  
court.

2. I have never been convicted of a felony.


I have never been censured, suspended, disbarred or denied admission or readmission by  
any court.

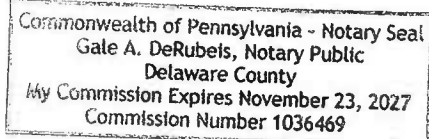


Gerald E. Burns

Dated: February 18, 2025

Signed and sworn before me this 18th day of February, 2025, in County of Philadelphia,  
Pennsylvania.

  
Gale DeRubeis, Notary Public



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Pursuant to Rule 1.3 of the Local Rules of the United States Courts for the Southern District of New York, I, Gerald E. Burns, hereby move this Court for an Order for admission to practice Pro Hac Vice to appear as counsel for M Science LLC and M Science Hong Kong Limited in the above-captioned action.

I am a member in good standing of the bars of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and there are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any state or federal court. I have never been convicted of a felony. I have never been censured, suspended, disbarred or denied admission or readmission by any court. I have attached the affidavit pursuant to Local Rule 1.3 and my Certificate of Good Standing.



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Dated: February 18, 2025



Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

**CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

***Gerald Edward Burns III, Esq.***

**DATE OF ADMISSION**

***December 10, 1990***

The above named attorney was duly admitted to the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is now a qualified member in good standing.



**Witness my hand and official seal  
Dated: January 31, 2025**

*Darian Holland*

Darian Holland  
Chief Clerk

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**ORDER FOR ADMISSION OF  
GERALD E. BURNS  
PRO HAC VICE**

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Defendant(s)

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The motion of Gerald E. Burns, for admission to practice Pro Hac Vice in the above captioned action is granted.

Applicant has declared that he is a member in good standing of the bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and that his contact information is as follows:

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gerald.burns@bipc.com

Applicant having requested admission Pro Hac Vice to appear for all purposes as counsel for M Science, LLC and M Science Hong Kong Limited in the above entitled action;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Applicant is admitted to practice Pro Hac Vice in the above captioned case in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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United States District Judge

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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I hereby certify that on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025 I caused to be electronically filed the foregoing documents with the Clerk of the Court via CM/ECF. Notice of this filing will be sent by email to all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system. Parties may access the filing through the Court's CM/ECF System.

/s/ Gerald E. Burns  
Gerald E. Burns

Dated: February 18, 2025